

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 MANILA 18834 01 OF 03 031154Z

21

ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 FSI-03 AID-05 CIAE-00 INR-07 IO-13

JUSE-00 NSAE-00 SNM-02 USIA-15 NSC-05 OES-06 OMB-01

/067 W

----- 107237

R 030902Z DEC 76

FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3527

INFO DEA HQS WASHDC

US CUSTOMS SERVICE WASHDC

UNCLAS SECTION 1 OF 3 MANILA 18834

ATTENTION S/NM

DEA HQS FOR TRI

CUSTOMS FOR INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR

SUBJ: NARCOTICS TRAINING FACILITIES

REF: STATE UNCLAS 284346, DTG 190135Z NOV 76

1. REF PARA 5A: THE PHILIPPINES HAS A RATHER
SOPHISTICATED NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT TRAINING PROGRAM.
PRIMARY CONTROL IS BY THE INTEGRATED NATIONAL
POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY WITH SOME FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE FROM THE DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD. THE
PHILIPPINE CONSTABULARY ANTI-NARCOTICS UNIT IS
SUPERVISING THE DAY-TO-DAY COURSE ACTIVITIES.

2. REF PARA 5B: THESE AGENCIES CONDUCT AN
EIGHT-WEEK IN-DEPTH NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT
INVESTIGATIVE COURSE AND IT IS SEPARATE AND
APART FROM THE ORDINARY LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING
PROGRAMS. IT IS A MEANINGFUL COURSE AND IS REQUIRED
THAT ALL NARCOTICS INVESTIGATORS HAVE PARTICIPATED
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 MANILA 18834 01 OF 03 031154Z

AND SUCCESSFULLY GRADUATED FROM THIS COURSE PRIOR

TO ASSIGNMENT TO NARCOTICS INVESTIGATIVE UNITS. THE CURRICULUM WAS FORMULATED JOINTLY BETWEEN THE NOW DEFUNCT USAID NARCOTICS ADVISOR AND AT THAT TIME, THE NATIONAL POLICE COMMISSION TRAINING STAFF. THE COURSE IS TWO MONTHS IN LENGTH, FOUR WEEKS BEING DEVOTED TO INTENSIVE CLASSROOM STUDY AND THE OTHER FOUR WEEKS CONSISTING OF OJT WITH THE PHILIPPINE CONSTABULARY ANTI-NARCOTICS UNIT, WHICH HAS OVERALL SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITIES IN THE PHILIPPINES. THIS COURSE IS AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL AND ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES PARTICIPATING IN THE NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM ARE PROVIDED WITH THE NECESSARY TRAINING OPPORTUNITY IN THE NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT INVESTIGATIVE COURSE. THIS INCLUDES ALL NATIONAL AGENCIES AND THE LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES. ALL ACTIVE NARTOTICS INVESTIGATORS MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE TWO-MONTH NARCOTICS INVESTIGATIVE COURSE. ONE THOUSAND FIFTY ACTIVE POLICE OFFICERS HAVE SUCCESSFULLY GRADUATED FROM THIS SCHOOL.

3. REF PARA 5C: THE MAIN INTEGRATED NATIONAL POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY LOCATED IN MANILA PROPER AND TEN REGIONAL TRAINING ACADEMIES SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE PHILIPPINES PROVIDE GENERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING FOR THE APPROXIMATELY 40,000 INTEGRATED NATIONAL POLICE OFFICERS. THESE TRAINING FACILITIES NOT ONLY PROVIDE THE BASIC RECRUITEE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING, BUT ALSO PROVIDE SPECIALIZED TRAINING IN THE FIELD OF SUPERVISION, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, MANAGEMENT, AND ALL ASPECTS OF POLICE ADMINISTRATION.

4. REF PARA 5D: THE INSTRUCTORS UTILIZED IN THE NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT INVESTIGATIVE COURSES HAVE BEEN TRAINED IN THE U.S. IN EITHER THE NOW DEFUNCT INTERNATIONAL POLICE ACADEMY OR THE DEA SCHOOLS IN WASHDC. IN ADDITION TO THE STATESIDE TRAINING, THIRTY OF THE MORE PROMISING INSTRUCTORS HAVE RECEIVED A UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 03 MANILA 18834 01 OF 03 031154Z

30-DAY INTENSIVE COURSE ON INSTRUCTOR TRAINING METHODS. THIS CURRICULUM WAS DEVISED BY US NAVY TRAINING CENTERPERSONNEL, SUBIC NAVAL BASE, THE INTEGRATED NATIONAL POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY PERSONNEL, AND THE USAID NARCOTICS ADVVSOR. THE CAPABILITIES OF THE INSTRUCTORS HAVE BEEN EVALUATED

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

MRN: 1976MANILA018834 SEGMENT NUMBER: 000002 ERROR READING TEXT INDEX

FILE; TELEGRAM TEXT FOR THIS SEGMENT IS UNAVAILABLE

ADP191

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 MANILA 18834 03 OF 03 031201Z

12

ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 FSI-03 AID-05 CIAE-00 INR-07 IO-13

JUSE-00 NSAE-00 SNM-02 USIA-15 NSC-05 OES-06 OMB-01

(ISO) W

----- 109359

R 030902Z DEC 76

FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3529

INFO DEA HQS WASHDC

US CUSTOMS SERVICE WASHDC

UNCLAS SECTION 3 OF 3 MANILA 18834

ATTENTION S/NM

DEA HQS FOR TRI

CUSTOMS FOR INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR

SUBJ: NARCOTICS TRAINING FACILITIES

CONTINUE SEVERAL DAYS LATER TO GUAM, WHERE IT
WAS TO CONTINUE TO THE WEST COAST OF THE U.S.

A BRITISH NATIONAL REPUTED MULTI-OUNCE HEROIN
SMUGGLER WAS ARRESTED IN THE PHILIPPINES COMING
IN FROM HONG KONG. HE WAS ARRESTED IN THE
POSSESSION OF HEROIN AND MORPHINE AND WAS SUPPLYING
THE DAUGHTER OF A PROMINENT RETIRED PHILIPPINE
GENERAL.

THE PAKISTANI AMBASSADOR'S COOK WAS ARRESTED AS
HE SOLD HASHISH IMPORTED FROM PAKISTAN TO PHILIPPINE
UNDERCOVER OFFICERS.

THE ARREST OF A FEMALE DEPENDENT WIFE OF A US SERVICE-MAN WAS EFFECTED AT MANILA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 MANILA 18834 03 OF 03 031201Z

INFORMATION REVEALED THAT SHE WAS IN THE PROCESS OF TRANSPORTING SEVERAL OUNCES OF HEROIN FROM HONG KONG FOR RESALE IN AND AROUND THE USAF CLARK AIR BASE.

AN AMERICAN CITIZEN LONG-TIME RESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES WAS ARRESTED BY PHILIPPINE AUTHORITIES IN MANILA IN POSSESSION OF HEROIN. INTELLIGENCE INDICATES THIS INDIVIDUAL CAUSED THE SMUGGLING OF APPROXIMATELY FIVE POUNDS OF HEROIN FROM THAILAND INTO THE PHILIPPINES IN LATE 1975.

THESE ARRESTS PROBABLY WOULD NOT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IF IT HAD NOT BEEN FOR THE TRAINING THE OFFICERS HAD EXPERIENCED DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS. THE TRAINING NOT ONLY PROVIDES THEM WITH THE NECESSARY TOOLS TO COPE AND TO MAKE PROPER INVESTIGATIONS, BUT IT ALSO PROVIDES A VEHICLE FOR ALL MEMBERS OF VARIOUS NARCOTICS AGENCIES TO GROUP TOGETHER FOR A TWO-MONTH PERIOD ENABLING THEM TO BREAK DOWN INTER-AGENCY JEALOUSIES AND TO FORM PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS, THUS PROVIDING A MUCH-NEEDED VEHICLE FOR EXCHANGE OF NARCOTICS INTELLIGENCE AND INFORMATION AMONG ALL AGENCIES INVOLVED IN NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT.

7. REF PARA 5G: THE HOST COUNTRY HAS IN FACT ACCEPTED AND DEVELOPED ITS OWN NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT TRAINING PROGRAM. THE BASIC TRAINING PROGRAM COMMENCED JANUARY 1973 AND HAS BEEN CONDUCTING THREE TO FOUR CLASSES PER YEAR SINCE, WHILE REVISING THE CURRICULUM AS NECESSARY AND DEVELOPING AND CONTINUING TO DEVELOP THE SKILLS OF THE INSTRUCTORS.

8. REF PARA 5H: LIMITED FURTHER INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT TRAINING IN THE U.S. WOULD BE OF VALUE TO THE HOST COUNTRY. THIS WOULD BE AN ADDITION TO THE THIRTY-DAY INSTRUCTOR TRAINING PROGRAM ALREADY GIVEN IN THE PHILIPPINES WITH THE HELP OF THE USN TRAINING STAFF.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 03 MANILA 18834 03 OF 03 031201Z

9. REF PARA 5I: THE HOST COUNTRY THROUGH THE

DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE
INTEGRATED NATIONAL POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY
HAS BEEN EXPLORING THE POSSIBILITY AND
PROBABILITY OF TRAINING ASEAN NARCOTICS
ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AT THE INTEGRATED NATIONAL
POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY. THIS ALREADY HAS BEEN
DONE ON A LIMITED SCALE DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS.
FOUR INDONESIAN POLICE OFFICERS HAVE BEEN TRAINED
IN THE EIGHT-WEEK NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT COURSE
AND TWO GUAMANIAN POLICE OFFICERS WERE TRAINED
IN THE COMPLIANCE COURSE GIVEN IN MANILA JOINTLY
BY THE DEA COMPLIANCE INSTRUCTORS AND THE INTEGRATED
NATIONAL POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY STAFF.
SULLIVAN

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 03 DEC 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976MANILA18834
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: CORE1
Film Number: n/a
From: MANILA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19761272/aaaackae.tel
Line Count: 237
Locator: ADS TEXT UNRETRIEVABLE
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 5
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: wolfsd
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 23 MAR 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <23 MAR 2004 by morefirh>; APPROVED <19 AUG 2004 by wolfsd>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: NARCOTICS TRAINING FACILITIES
TAGS: SNAR
To: SECSTATE WASHDC DEA HQS WASHDC SERVICE WASHDC
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006